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It's Up to You, Mr. Farmer.

Today, Friday, April 19th, the different political parties of Nebraska will name, by ballot, the men to represent the parties on the ballot at the November general election.

Voters living in town can, without the loss of a moment's time from their work, exercise their rights at the polls in naming the men to be placed on the November ballot.

How about you, Mr. Farmer, are you going to plow another round or two out a few more rows of stalks, and let this duty fall altogether on the town voters, of naming a ticket for you to shoot for next November?

Better take an hour off and crank up the auto and come in and say for yourself who you will place on the November ballot, and not place the burden on some one else's shoulders and then kick because things don't go the way you want them to.

LEST WE FORGET.

C. Cusack, of North Bend, Neb., in writing to the Omaha Bee says:

"I notice an article in your paper concerning Senator Brown and I want to add my own to it as it is all a fact. If the people of this state fail to stand by Senator Brown they are not worthy to be represented by an honest man in the United States Senate."

Senator Brown compelled the railroads to pay their taxes of more than \$1,000,000 after putting up the fight of his life to win. Could he not just as easily have fought and lost and so far as the people were concerned they would not be any the wiser?

"In this way Mr. Brown could have taken a bad and lived on easy street for the balance of his life and not have to worry about going to the United States Senate."

"The trouble with our common people is that we forget too easily when our honest representatives die for us when there are millions at stake."

"The railroads tried hard to keep Norris Brown out of the United States Senate. The hardest fought political battle that ever took place in Dodge county was over the delegates to the state convention and it was only because we must elect Ross Hammond's wings to prevent him from being a political boss, but under the surface it was a war between Norris Brown and the political bosses."

"The state owes Norris Brown a debt that they will never be able to pay, and regardless of party, he should receive a vote so that the country everywhere will recognize that Nebraska is enlightened enough not to forget to honor her men who are always found in the front rank for her best interests."

Items of Interest from our Exchanges

Maskell Items in Wyot Tribune: B. S. Tague was a passenger to Jackson Monday morning.

Morningside Leader: Mrs. Taylor, of Homer, Nebraska, has been visiting her father, F. M. Draper.

Wyot Tribune: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Morin went to Dakota City, Tuesday, and will also visit in Omaha before returning home.

Pender Republic: Miss Hattie Van Valin went to Homer, Tuesday morning, to help coral the chickens while Leon looks after the new baby.

Allen News: Roy Brownell, Joe Isom, Chas. Lovell, Art Hale, Frank Hale, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. W. F. Filley were Sioux City visitors Tuesday.

South Creek Items in Ponca Leader: Misses Agnes Harney and Josie Winston spent a few days at home returning to their school work at Jackson, Wednesday.

Pender Times: Fred Lampe and Henry Bahr were in Dakota City Wednesday. Attorneys Evans of Dakota City, Evans of Sioux City, Anderson of Westport and Berry of Wayne, were in town this week.

Lyons Mirror: Edgar Davis of Homer was a Mirror visitor last week. His father, Josiah W. Davis, is one of the earliest pioneer settlers of Dakota county, settling there just 62 years ago next Thursday, April 18, 1860.

Waterbury Items in Emerson Enterprise: Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Way, April 15th, a girl. E. J. Way went to Omaha Tuesday to serve on the grand jury. Mr. Smith, the section boss here, moved his family to Jackson where he will have charge of a section.

Wayne Democrat: Chas. Kate and wife were visiting at Dakota City with their home folks last week. Miss Pearl Short returned from Jackson, where she is attending school, for the spring vacation, last week. Mrs. Cleveland, who has been visiting at the Raymond home for a few days, returned to Omaha Saturday.

Walsh Times: John Turnbull went to Dakota City Sunday evening. Miss Harvey was down from South Sioux City, Sunday. Miss Edna Lamson came from Hawarden, Wednesday, for a visit with her sister, Mrs. B. J. Sheldon. Mrs. Lee Clement is making rapid recovery from the operation to which she submitted a week ago and will be able perhaps to return home today.

Homer Star: Mrs. E. A. Monroe and children are down from Sioux City this week visiting relatives. Miss Johanna Harris returned Tuesday from 55 Paul where she accompanied her brother and sister a week or so ago. Mr. and Mrs. John Balzer who left for Barham, Minnesota, about a month ago, are the proud parents of a baby girl born April 5. Roy Rysall and Rose Johnson were in Sioux City



TAFT IS CERTAIN OF NOMINATION

Will Have Majority of Delegates From All Sections.

MAY BREAK 1908 RECORD

Progressive Policies Accepted as Surest Avenue of Return of Business Prosperity—Where His Strength Lies in Campaign.

President William H. Taft is on a fair road to renomination as the Republican standard-bearer in the campaign of 1912. With approximately 100 delegates to the Chicago convention already instructed for him the president is more than likely to break his record of 1908 when he was nominated with 702 votes on the first ballot in the Chicago convention of that year. There is no longer any question that he will be renominated and the only question now puzzling the managers of the Taft campaign is the completeness of his victory.

Coupled with the assurance of his renomination is the growing sentiment in the big Republican states, both east and west, that President Taft is the only Republican candidate who can possibly be elected this fall. It will be recalled readily enough that when Mr. Taft took office three years ago March 4th last, the great issues of tariff revision and reform on a protective basis, and of monetary reform and the great legal problem involved in the exact meaning of the Sherman anti-trust statute, were squarely before the country. In the latter issue the Supreme court had not made its famous ruling in the Standard Oil and Tobacco cases which were to outline, for the first time since the law was passed by congress, its exact meaning. On each of these three great issues it has been necessary for President Taft to consider and frame a definite policy, and it is his decision as to these great questions that has convinced the business men, the laboring men and the farmers of the country that another term in the White House for William H. Taft is all that is necessary to restore the country to that basis of unparalleled prosperity which characterized the administration of William McKinley. It is this sentiment which not only assures the renomination of Mr. Taft at Chicago but also his re-election in November.

So many bewildering side issues have become involved in the present campaign for delegates to the Chicago convention that the facts above stated have been overlooked in certain communities. Even the progressive achievements of the Taft administration have been forgotten in the excitement occasioned by the introduction of new political doctrines, practically none of which, except the proposal to recall federal judges, can be dealt with by the national government, but must be decided by each state for itself. The demand for a presidential preference primary in each state, which is a matter in which even the president himself has no right to interfere, has been magnified into a national issue, notwithstanding the fact that there is and can be no national law on the subject, and only a few states are prepared to throw the protection of the law around any such primary, and in fact of the fact that one-tenth of the delegates to the Chicago convention are already chosen and hundreds of delegates elected to state and district conventions. It has been estimated that to conduct such a primary with legal authority, as provided by the rules of the party, it would cost the tax-payers of this country not less than \$5,000,000 immediately.

The hysteria occasioned by these conditions is now passing away and the foremost fact staring the voters in the face are the progressive and definite policies of President Taft and the certainty of an immediate improvement in business conditions all over the country following his renomination and re-election. This fact is of vital interest to all classes of citizens, especially when they are confronted with the alternative of a change in administration, a change in policies and a continuation of business depression and general unrest.

In estimating the probabilities of President Taft's renomination and re-election, it is necessary to recur only to recent history. The president carried every northern state in 1908. Between the election of that year and 1910 occurred the tariff legislation known as the Payne tariff law. It is a well known maxim of politics that that party which revises the tariff is defeated at the next election and the only exception to the rule in recent years was the passage of the Dingley law, which was followed so closely by the outbreak of the Spanish-American war as to bury the tariff issue in a wave of patriotic enthusiasm. The more recent bye-elections in the big Republican states east of the Mississippi river, notably in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, have shown a return of Republicans to the fold and a restoration of the old-time Republican majorities, which justifies the prediction that they will be safely in the Taft column in November. That they will so unanimously support any other Republican candidate, particularly if the third term issue is injected into the fight, is denied by the best informed leaders in those states.

As to the nomination there is no longer the least doubt that President Taft will have a majority of the delegates both from the north and the south. New England will be practically, if not entirely, solid for him. He will have sweeping victories in New York, Pennsylvania and the other middle Atlantic states. Ohio has never yet failed to support a favorite-son candidate for president. Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Minnesota, Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota and Oklahoma of the middle western states will all have their quota of Taft delegates in the convention, four of them having already instructed delegates in some districts for the president. The southern states will be almost unanimous in their support of the president, while in Utah, Montana, Idaho, Colorado, Wyoming, Arizona and the Pacific coast states there is every assurance of solid Taft delegations. Present indications point only to a scattering opposition to President Taft's renomination.

POICIES OF PRESIDENT TAFT.

- 1—Peace with all the world through just dealing and preparedness for war.
- 2—Neither race nor creed a bar to appointment to office.
- 3—The upholding of a righteous judiciary.
- 4—Economy and efficiency, including care of superannuated employees.
- 5—Penny postage through postal economies.
- 6—States' rights when not in conflict with federal authority.
- 7—Extension of practical conservation acts.
- 8—Parcels Post.
- 9—Federal incorporation act.
- 10—Revision of currency laws and prevention of panics.
- 11—Protection of American citizens at home and abroad.
- 12—High standard set in federal appointments.
- 13—Scientific study of industrial conditions.
- 14—International investigation of causes of high cost of living.
- 15—Scientific revision of the tariff on a protective basis through non-partisan tariff board.

Taft the Progressive.

Progressive versus radical, progressive versus reactionary—this is the viewpoint presented of the candidacy, respectively, of President Taft and Colonel Roosevelt in the address of Secretary of War Stimson before the Taft Club of Illinois. Mr. Stimson declared he was for Taft because Taft had carried out the progressive policies of the Republican party. Sound reason this! It is incontrovertible as well. The secretary of war acknowledges that he entered public life under the influence of Theodore Roosevelt, but this does not avail to separate him from loyalty and faith in Taft as the true Republican constructionist. In this attitude Mr. Stimson has the company of many other eminent Republican friends of the former president who would not support for a moment his ultra-declarations.

Jepson, son of George Jepson, of Sioux City and Miss Faye Tollinger, of South Sioux City, were united in marriage last night at 8:30 o'clock by Rev. W. E. Harman, pastor of the First Christian church. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Rev. Mr. Harman. Mr. and Mrs. Jepson will reside at Harman, Neb., where the groom is engaged in the hardware and furniture business. They will leave for their new home tomorrow morning. The water still was running slowly into Crystal lake last night through the treacherous

authority of the court. The residents living along the lake banks were unable last night to make an exact estimate of the stage of the water while the three-day rain on hour wind was throwing large waves on the bank. It is thought that no more than two inches of water has run in since the opening of the trenches. A stream of water flowed steadily into the lake all Friday night. Its volume was somewhat decreased yesterday, however, by the fall of the Missouri river. Sheriff Mahan remained at the dike all night to keep objecting farmers from expressing their resentment by means of obstructions. No one appeared to give any trouble. Guards were maintained at the trench yesterday to prevent any possible interference.

Sioux City Journal, 16: The semi-annual meeting of the Four County Medical association, comprising the counties of Dakota, Dixon, Thurston and Cedar, in Nebraska, took place last night at Emerson, Neb. A number of Sioux City doctors attended. The general discussion was upon stomach diseases. If the Sioux City Service company does not extend its line to Crystal lake this spring, an effort will be made to run the cars of the Foye line into Sioux City. This would give a direct line to the lake and faster service. E. P. Howell, president and manager of the Foye line, stated yesterday that for several reasons plans for extending the road were not being developed at this time. While Mr. Howell does not believe the service company will extend its South Sioux City line to the lake, he says he will make sure of the plan that company before extending his own line. Plans for the extension of the road are awaiting the outcome of the district court suit started by John M. Coe, who seeks to get possession of some of the stock of the Foye line. This case is set for hearing Wednesday in the district court here. Mr. Howell's plans call for an eventual extension of the Foye line to Sioux City and Homer, Neb., with an electric power plant at Dakota City. At present the line is more than paying expenses, Mr. Howell stated.

Winnebago Chief: Miss Cora Weaver, of Sioux City, has been visiting at the John Ashford home this week. Dr. Nina R. Smith, accompanied by E. J. Smith down from Homer, Monday afternoon. D. M. Neiswander, of Dakota City, was in town Wednesday afternoon on business. Mrs. John Criss and daughter, Leone, spent the weekend at the J. C. and Claude Tucker homes. Miss Kathlene Neiswander, of Dakota City, was the guest of her sister, Miss Nana Neiswander, this week. Misses Nana Neiswander and Sue Copeland were Homer visitors Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning. Miss Bessie Varis is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bert Barnes. She will go from here to her home near Hubbard, after quite an extended visit hereabouts. Mrs. Eva Shook, of Kadoka, S. D., who is visiting in Homer at the parental home, was down one day last week, visiting old Homer friends now living in Winnebago.

M. J. Herman, of Homer, made a trip to our town last Wednesday. Mr. Herman says that this is his first trip down since some time in January last. Looking as fine as ever, still Mr. Herman is not able to make as frequent visits to the reservation as in former years. Miss Henrietta Conant, of Mead, Neb., and Harold Londrosch, of Dakota City, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. J. W. Nunn, near the Agency, departed on Monday evening for their homes, via Dakota City, where Miss Conant made a stopover, awaiting the trains to get through Fremont. We imagine there are some people who wouldn't mind, much, if floods and washouts were very common occurrences. Arthur F. Rymill and Ethel Eberly were united in marriage last Sunday morning, April 7, 1912, at 10:15 o'clock. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira J. Eberly, about four miles north of Winnebago. Rev. Robert O. Shupe, of this place, officiating. The bride and groom were unattended during the ceremony, which was witnessed by the Eberly family and Mrs. Amy Hogan, of South Sioux City, sister of Mr. Rymill. An excellent wedding dinner was served, and the couple left on the evening train from Winnebago for Minneapolis and other points. Both of the contracting parties are well known and highly respected young people in this vicinity and Homer. The groom has been serving on the village board of trustees in Homer for a year or two past. The bride has been living with her parents on their home farm. Mr. and Mrs. Rymill will make their home on a farm four miles east of Homer.

Whole Family Benefited By Wonderful Remedy

There are many little things to annoy us, under present conditions of life. The hurry, hard work, noise and strain all tell on us and tend to provoke nervousness and irritability. We are frequently so worn out we can neither eat, sleep nor work with any comfort. We are out of line with ourselves and others as well. A good thing to do under such circumstances is to take something like Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills to relieve the strain on the nerves. Mrs. J. B. Hartsfield, 33 Corbett St., Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I have on several occasions been relieved by the use of your medicine, especially the Anti-Pain Pills, which I keep constantly on hand for the use of myself, husband and two sons. Nothing in the world equals them as a headache remedy. Often I am enabled by the use of one or two of the Pills to continue my household work when otherwise I would be in bed. My husband is in my praise of the Anti-Pain Pills and never fails."

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are relied upon to relieve pain, nervousness and irritability in thousands of households. Of proven merit after twenty years' use, you can have no reason for being longer without them. At all drugists, 25 cents 25 cents. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

Sioux City Daily Journal, 13: Water from the Missouri river now flows into Crystal lake through a passage way established yesterday by Sheriff Mahan, of Dakota City, Neb. An injunction issued by Judge Heffernan to Barney Gribble and Fred A. Wood forbids farmers against filling in the waterway. Defendants in the injunction proceedings are J. W. DeForest, Glen DeForest, Charles T. Karst, James J. Kenner, John McKinney, John Kruger, Frederick Wagner, W. F. Orr, Frank Gordon, Mrs. Mary Wilson, John Flemming, J. W. Balderson and A. Van Wagenen. The dike was opened up a half mile above the combination bridge. A trench eight feet wide and about 4 feet deep was dug. The rush of water broke the passage way larger. It is thought the depth of the water in the lake will be increased considerably regardless of the falling stage of the Missouri river. If the waterway had been opened three days ago the lake would be practically full now, declared observers last evening. Final court action on what shall be done concerning the lake war probably will be had at the May term of district court in Dakota county. If the injunction is made, permanent the property owners along the lake will be at the waterway with flood gates to control the influx. It is thought the water in the lake will be plentiful after the June rise. This prediction, however, is based on the supposition that the injunction will be sustained. Wood and Gribble, the men who secured the injunction, own property along what used to be the lake front. They desire to use this property for summer resort purposes. Injury to fish in the lake is urged in the petition as another ground for making the injunction permanent. The fish now are suffering, it is alleged, from the low water. Large numbers of the fish died during the winter. Besides asking for the injunction Gribble and Wood ask \$5,000 damages for losses sustained by having the water from the river shut off. The Crystal Lake Improvement association now is enjoined from opening waterways. This company sought last fall to maintain culverts leading to the lake, but the farmers dynamited the waterways. Fearing some such trouble yesterday, Sheriff Mahan remained at the dike until after dark. Watchmen were then stationed there to guard the work during the night. Farmers contend that nearly 8,000 acres of farm land would be rendered useless for farming purposes by allowing the water to run into the lake. Gribble and Wood, the farmers say, own property that would be suitable for summer homes if there were more water in the lake.

Agents Wanted.
The Mutual Benefit Health & Accident Association of Omaha, Neb., write a different form of insurance than most companies, for instance, they issue a combination policy paying \$1,000.00 in case of accidental death, the loss of hand, feet or eyes and \$10.00 for sickness, accident or quarantine and full partial disability and surgeon's fees and the cost of this insurance is only \$1.00 month. We have no different classes as Class A, Class B, etc., as other companies have, but everyone carrying this policy draws the same benefits. We are in need of an agent in this locality, as well as in other parts of Nebraska, and would be glad to hear from those who wish to better themselves. It is a pleasant outdoor work and the policy is very easy to write as it is so much different than other insurance.

If you wish to make a change, or devote your spare time to the work and you are honest, write to us now before the territory is all covered. Mutual Benefit Health & Accident Association, 423 425 City National Bank Bldg., Omaha, Neb.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
Jenny T. Charles to Emily Lindsay, part of lots 6 and 7, 20-29-9. Isaac T. Gilbert and wife to Edmund Lindsay, part lots 6 and 7, 20-29-9. John T. Phillips to Ruby Phillips, lots 19, 20 and 21, block 9, by addition to South Sioux City. H. M. Tollinger and wife to the contract to sell Crystal lake and remove the soft fish, the buffalo and German carp from its waters. Work on this will be started this week. Mr. and Mrs. Will Hogan moved from their home at the corner of Palmer and First streets Saturday. They have stored their furniture and are living at the James Hogan home in Railway addition. They expect to move into one of the Shane houses when it is vacated.

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With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Cataract is a blood or constitutional disease, and it is not until you get the internal remedy. Hays' Cataract Cure is taken internally, and it cures the blood and mucus surfaces. Hays' Cataract Cure is not a quick medicine. It is prescribed by one of the best physicians in the country for years and is a real prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifier, acting directly on the mucus surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing cataract. Send for testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 10c. Take Hays' Family Pills for constipation.

NOTICE OF FILING OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.
Notice is hereby given that there is now on file in the office of the clerk of the village of South Sioux City, Nebraska, the application of Mosby & Young Company, a corporation, for a license for the sale of malt, spirituous and vinous liquors, at wholesale, in the building located on lot 7, in block 4, of the Town of Covington, now annexed to and a part of said village, for the municipal year from May 1, 1912 to May 1, 1913; and that said application will come on for hearing at the next regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of said village, to be held on May 7, 1912. Dated April 5, 1912. MOSBY & YOUNG COMPANY, By H. E. MOSBY, President. CHAS. WELSH, Secretary.

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Notice is hereby given that Fred G. Standish has filed with the village clerk of Dakota City, Dakota county, Nebraska, his application and petition for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors, and conduct a saloon in said village, during the fiscal year beginning on the first of May, 1912, under the laws of the state of Nebraska and the ordinance of said village, in a building located on parts of lots 18, 19 and 20, in block 14. Any and all objections to the granting of said license should be filed with the village clerk of said village on or before the 30th day of April, 1912. FRED G. STANDISH, Applicant. SYDNEY T. FLEM, Village Clerk. Dated this 11th day of April, 1912.

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SOUTH SIOUX CITY

From the Record.
Ed. Tollinger was forced to move from his home on the west side of Walker's Island Tuesday by the high stage of water in the chute.
Henry Runge moved Monday into the new home he purchased last week from H. Braun and is now nicely settled therein, and is again a resident of South Sioux City.

H. M. Tollinger is now located at Herman, where he has purchased a hardware store. The Tollinger family expect to move to their new home the last of this month.

Mrs. H. A. Bilven was taken suddenly ill on Wednesday and for a while it was feared her sickness was fatal. She suffers with heart trouble and is gaining at this writing.

Alva Mitchell, while at work in the Stamm planing mill, met with a severe accident Tuesday. His hand became caught in the cogs of a saw rip machine and the thumb was badly smashed.

John L. Hazlegrove returned Wednesday evening from Phoenix, N. D., where he had spent the winter settling up the estate of his brother, Will Hazlegrove.

Mrs. Ellen Knowlton has her house which she is bringing in from her farm on Walker's island, about to its new location, which will be on lots adjacent to the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. P. Pilgrim.

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Round trip tickets will be on sale daily June 1 to September 30, 1912; return limit October 31, 1912. These tickets cover a most interesting tour of the west. California and the Puget Sound country are at their best during the summer months and excursion fares provide for trips covering the most attractive sections of the West. Special convention fares will be in effect at various times during the summer months.

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